



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **KAMATA, Takeshi, et al.**

Group Art Unit: **2831**

Serial No.: **10/536,458**

Examiner: **Chau N. NGUYEN**

Filed: **May 25, 2005**

P.T.O. Confirmation No.: **6475**

For: **COVERED WIRE AND METHOD OF DISTINGUISHING  
THE COVERED WIRES**

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.116**

**- EXPEDITED RESPONSE -**

**GROUP ART UNIT 2831**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 14, 2006

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated **July 17, 2006**, extended from **October 17, 2006** to **December 17, 2006** by a **two (2) month** Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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